

REMARKS

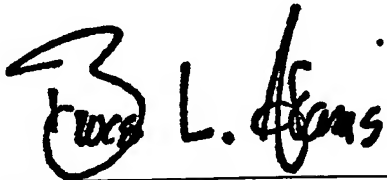
In the last Action, restriction was required among Groups I, II, III and IV. The Examiner stated that the four inventions are patentably distinct from each other, thereby making restriction proper. Applicants was required to elect one of the four inventions for further prosecution in this application.

In response to the restriction requirement, applicants have provisionally elected Group I drawn to a method of making mirrors, and submit that claims 1-27 are readable on the elected invention. The non-elected claims have been retained in the application pending possible withdrawal of the restriction requirement or applicants' decision to pursue the subject matter thereof in a continuing application.

In light of the foregoing, early and favorable
action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

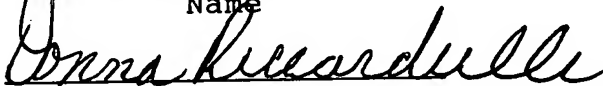
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